BEAVER

### CURRENT COMMENT.

immigrants into the United States for August numbered 27,199, against 17,448 for the same month last

An experimental train on the New York Central railroad recently made the distance from New York to Buffalo, 43614 miles, at an average rate of 64 1-3 miles an hour, thus beating the English record of 63% miles an hour.

Tayne is talk in London of the invention of a marvelous electric battery in which zine is discarded for a material costing only one-twentieth as much, and polarization made needless. The new motor is said to cost but 8 cents per horse-power per hour.

MRS. FRANCIS HODGSON-BURNETT, author of "Little Lord Fauntleroy," who has drawn so many pretty portraits of the happy side of domestic life, has at ast to admit that marriage is a failure in her own case, and hereafter she will live apart "

Mr. GLADSTONE, in a recent letter on the financial question, said that he regarded all bimetallic schemes as passing humors, doomed to nullity and disappointment, and that if London stood firm for the gold standard ne power on earth could change it.

THE triennial general convention of the Episcopal Church of America meets in Minneapolis on October 2 and it will be a most important gathering as suggestions of such a radical constitution are offered that there is certain to be a vigorous fight against their adop

A New York paper estimated that witnessed by at least 80 600 persons at an expense of \$4 apiece, and that not less than \$10,000 more was expended by the owners of the forty private yachts in attendance, thus making au aggregate of \$350,000 as the cost of a

WHEN the public schools of New York city were spened recently 231,000 pupils appeared in the 140 schoolhouses, where they were met by 4,00% teachers. There are only thirteen cities in the country, exclusive of New York, that have each a larger population than the number of the public school children of the metropolis.

INSIDE of thirty days some of the new currency designs over which the bureau of engraving and printing has been working for several months will be ready for issue. The denominations will be the \$1, \$2, \$5 and \$10 bills. The work has been tedious, but it is said at the boreau that the result will more than justify all the care that has been taken to make the series a noteworth;

THERE is considerable gossip in army tenant-general of the army. There are only two men who are now considered available to succeed Gen. Schofield. These are Gen. Miles and Cen. Ruger. The impression among regular army officers is that Gen. Ruger will be President Cleveland's choice as Gen. Schofield's successor.

THERE was a story current in Washington recently to the effect that Rev. Byron W. Sunderland, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of that city. was to resign soon and would be succeeded by Rev. T. De Witt Talmage, the great Brooklyn divine. Dr. Sunderland has long contemplated retirement on account of ill-health and advancing years. He has been the pastor of the First Presbyterian church in Washington for at least forty-two

THE entire family of Charles S. Krueger, father, mother and five children. ranging in age from 6 to 20 years, now lie buried in Greenwood cemetery at Michigan City, Ind. The family was recently poisoned by eating diseased pork, and despite the best medical skill, one followed the other to the grave, after suffering untold agony. The physicians pron unced their dis-ease trichinosis, their bodies being literally alive with parasites. Death was a process of slow torture.

THE Boston Globe, commenting on the opening of another school year, says: It is time that a halt was called to the hurry-up policy in school work, for the sake of pupil and teacher alike. Whenever and wherever the comple tion of a certain course in a specified time means overwork and nervous worry to the average scholar-and the average scholar is precisely the one who should be considered -- there should be wise and reasonable relaxation of requirements. The high-pressure plan which has been so much in vogue stands in great need of reform.

THE Chicago Inter Ocean recently said: Uncle Sam protests when the unspeakable Turk murders Christian men in the far east. Will he stand by and see women and children butchered by Spanish soldiers almost in sight of our shores? The struggling Cubans have some rights which Americans should respect. The report says: They were killed by Spanish bravos in uniform, acting under the orders of Carrido, the Spanish commander of the garrison. Helpless women were ruthlessly tortured, subjected to the most abominable indignities, and then either shot to death or hanged."

BOR FITZSIMNONS, it was said, will re fuse to meet Corbett in Dallas, Tex. unless he is "let in" on certain concessions on which he believes a large sun of money will be realized. It was said that he accused Brady, Corbett, Joe Vendig and Stewart, of Dallas, of gobbling up everything in sight, from the de stand to the eidoloscope, with which it is intended to reproduce the fight throughout the country. It was the latter concession that Bob was especially jealous of, and it was stated that he had made a formal demand for a percentage of the profits on it, otherwise he declared he would not fight.

### NEWS OF THE WEEK,

Gleaned By Telegraph and Mail

### PERSONAL AND POLITICAL.

SOLICITOR REEVES, of the treasury department, has decided that a contract made with an alien outside of the United States to do work in the United States, even if the contractor does not financially assist the alien to come to this country, constitutes a violation of the alien contract labor law, and subjects its violator to the penalities attached

THE British steamer Taff, which recertly reached Boston from Cuba, reported that Banes, an important fruit port on the northwest coast of the island, had been taken by the insur gents, and that Gibara. a strongly fortified city also on the coast, was in a perilous position, although 8,000 Spanish soldiers were at that point.

A NEWSPAPER correspondent to graphs from Washington that President Cleveland will settle the question as to whether he will or will not be a candidate for a third term by making a speech at the Atlanta exposition on or about October 20.

PLANS, it was said, were being formulated for a great free silver convention in Calcage. This convention, if the old parties refuse to place a free silver plank in their platforms, will neminate candidates for president and vice president and organize for an ac-

tive campaign in 1896.
REPRESENTATIVES of bimetallic leagues from all over the silver strongholds of the country were in session on the 17th at the office of W. H. Harvey. of "Coin" fame, in Chicago, with the object of forming a league to advance each of the recent yacht races was the interests of the white metal by educating the people.

CUBAN sympathizers in New York asserted on the 16th that Mexico would soon recognize the insurgents in Cuba.

### MISCELLANEOUS.

News reached Little Rock, Ark., on the 19th of the destruction of court records at Hamburg. The next term of court in Ashley county was to try 102 persons, a large portion of them under indictment for running "blind tigers." Some person having the combination of the safe containing the indictments and evidence stole the written evidence and burned it.

A RECENT dispatch from Hong Kong aid that the Basle mission at Moilie, west of Swatean, has been wrecked. The foreigners had abandoned it owing to the warnings received from other stations that thousands of rebels were gathering and looting the property of

the wealthy Chinese.

Ax employe of the National Bank of Illinois at Chicago has disappeared with \$19,500 of the banks funds.

Ross C. VAN BOKKELEN, receiving teller of the Merchants' Loan & Trust Co., of Chicago, was reported missing with \$33,000.

THE steamship Edam, bound for Amsterdam from New York, was run into by the steamer Turkestan and sank in the English channel during a dense fog on the 19th. All the passengers were saved.

THE Army of the Tennessee had a grand reunion on the 19th at Chattanooga, Tenn. Gen. Granville M. Dodge presided. Gen. O. O. Howard, of the United States army, was the first speaker. He was followed by Gen. Joseph Wheeler, of Alabams, and Gen. Willard Warner, of Tennessee, Rev. Father Sherman, son of the famous general, closing.

THE next meeting of the sovereign grand lodge of Odd Fellows will take

place at Dallas, Tex. MRS. LANGTRY was robbed of her jewel box, valued at \$200,000, by forged order on her bankers.

Fire at Trautman's station, near Cincinnati, destroyed seven acres of buildings of the Cincinnati Dessicating Co. The loss was \$200,000, well insured. Thirty freight cars were also

Ir was stated on the 18th that Gov Culberson, of Texas, was fully determined to prevent the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight from coming off in that state and that he would probably call out the ranger force to assist him, not withstanding Judge Hurt's opinion.

On the 19th at Chickamauga, Tenn. the monuments to the dead soldiers of Michigan, Wisconsin, Ohio, Illinois, Indiana and Massachusetts were dedicated appropriate speeches being made, and then they were formally trans

ferred to the national government. AFTER two days consumed in argument on the habeas corpus hearing of Jesse Clarke, charged with prize fighting. Chief Justice J. M. Hurt, of the court of criminal appeals at Dallas, Tex., decided on the 17th that the act in the penal code was wholly inoper ative and Jesse Clarke was discharged. A FOURTH attempt by an infuriated

mob was made on the 17th to break into the jail at Lexington, Tenn. and take out and lynch Harrison Fuller and Frank Simpson, charged with assault upon two respectable white women. The attacking force was 200 strong. It broke in the jail door with sledge hammers and tried to get the prisoners. In the fight that followed four of the mob were shot, one fatally. Excitement ran high and the mob was expected to .nake another attack and

attempt to burn or blow up the jail. THE National Association of Labor Statisticians convened at Minneapolis. Minn. " the 17th, with Carroll D. Wright national commissioner of labor, in the chair, and the commissioners of a score of states present.

the window glass manufacturers in the western district were perfected at Chicago on the 6th and the price of window glass was boosted 814 or 9 per cent. Hereafter the entire product of the seventy glass concerns in the district will pass through the hands of but two sales agents, one at Pittsburgh and another in Indiana.

THE provincial synod of the Church of England in Canada, in session at Montreal, Can., rejected a motion to authorize the use of the revised New Testament in churches under its con-

The filibustering expedition of the Philadelphia tug George W. Childs, Capt. Swain, has met signal failures, and after a three months' attempt to land arms and ammunition on Cuban shores those in charge have abandoned the project.

An attempt was made to rob a passenger train on the Wisconsin Central road near Wanpaca on the 19th. Ties were piled on the track and spikes pulled, ditching the engine and baggage car. Twe re sticks of dynamite were exploded on the safe without avail and the robbers fled without getting any booty.

THE Chickamanga battlefield was dedicated as a national park on the 19th with impressive ceremonies. Vice President Stevenson presided. Gen. John M. Palmer, of Illinois; Gen. John R. Gordon, of Georgia, and Gen. Longstreet made the dedicatory speeches, patriotic hymns being played by the band and sung by the audience in be-

THE cruiser Barcastegui was wrecked in a collision with the merchant steamer Mortera in the canal at the entrance of Port Barcastegul, Cuba. Marine-General Delgado Parejo and three other officers and thirty of the crew were drowned.

A MOR of 400 men held up the Cotton Belt passenger train at Danceville and took a negre prisoner from the sheriff of Eosier parish, La., and made off through the woods with him. The negro was charged with criminally assaulting a white woman at Benton. There was little doubt that the negro was lynched.

A FIRE at East Brookfield, Mass., on the 16th destroyed a wooden block and one of the tenants was burned to death and three firemen injured.

Ax unconfirmed dispatch reached Berlin on the 16th that a North German Lloyd steamer had foundered and that 156 persons had been drowned. Neither the name of the vessel nor the locality of the alleged disaster was

THERE was an immense attendance at the reunion of the Army of the Cumberland at Chattanooga on the 18th, a large number of members of the Army of the Tennessee being present as guests. Gen. J. D. Morgan, vice president of the society, was chairman, Gen. Rosecrans, the president, being absent. Senator Manderson, of Nebraska, made the address of the occasion.

A PRESENT train was blown from the track at Madison Junction, Wis., recently during a storm and four men were seriously injured.

A PORTION of the walls of the old Col-

onnade building in Nashville, Tenn., which was being torn down, fell recently. Six men were buried under the debris and all were more or less injured.

At the session of the sovereign grand lodge Independent Order of Odd Fellows at Atlantic City, N. J., on the 18th an amendment to the constitution was carried that no saloonkeeper or bartender or gambler shall be eligible artender or gambler shall be el to membership in the order. M. Richard Muckle, of Philadelphia, was made sovereign grand treasurer in place of Isaac-C. Shepard, who resigned on account of ill health.

THE Silver Lake worsted mills at Paseoag. R. I., were destroyed by fire. Loss, \$90,000; insurance, \$75,000.

THE Society of the Army of the Tennessee at their session at Cincinnation the 17th elected G. M. Dodge, of Iowa, president. Col. Nelson Cole, Col. George H. Hildt and Col. J. W. Barnes, of Missouri, were among the vice presidents elected. St. Louis is the place chosen for the meeting next year. A resolution was adopted to erect a monment to Gen. U. S. Grant in Washing-

THE steamer Ionia, plying between Edinburg and London caught fire when in the river Thames, near Gravesend, and five women and one child, passengers, and the stewardess were burned to death and a number of others badly injured. The saloon passengers were in the wildest state of xcitement, some of them having rushed on deck almost naked, and were not pacified until the flames were

Ar Gravesend track, New York, Henry of Navarre again easily beat Domino and Santa Anita in a great ace on the 17th, running 114 miles in 2:09.

A VEHICLE containing six persons supposed to be Joseph Callahan, of Rustbarg, Va., two women, a girl of about 16 and two small children, was crossing the tracks of the Southern railway at Lawyer's station, near Lynchburg, Va., on the 16th, when it was struck by the engine of a passenger train. Five of the occupants of the vehicle were killed outright and the young girl was so severely injured that she died shortly afterward.

Tuk American plate glass works at Alexandria, Ind., the largest in the world, were destroyed by fire on the 17th through the ignition of escaping

THE little town of Braggs, I. T., was he scene of a tragedy in which Eli Baldridge, a prominent young Cherokee, was instantly killed by Jim Swimmer, a young Indian. Bad blood had existed between the men for some time. The two men met at a restaurant and after a few words were passed Swimmer, without any warning, pulled his gun and fired two shots, killing Bald-

In the international cricket match at Philadelphia between the team of the English universities of Oxford and Cambridge and the team of the university of Pennsylvania the latter won by the score of 445 to 345.

A DISPATCH from Shanghai stated that seven prisoners were executed on the 17th at Ku Cheng in the presence of the consuls.

ADVICES from Hawaii stated that there had been forty-six deaths from cholera in Honolulu. In nearly every case the cause had been traced to poisonous fish.

THE fourth national irrigation con gress opened at Albuquerque, N. M., 16th, being the largest and most influential body of the kind which has yet assembled in the west. Large delegations were present from Colorado, Kansas, Nebraska, Texas and Okla-

# OLD GLORY FLOATS

Borne by the Gray Above the Old Tattered Uniforms.

# GRAND PARADE OF NOTABLES HELD.

Exercises Take Place in the Big Tent-General Grosvenor Makes the Principal Address--Gov. Oates Shows old Time Spirit.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Sept. 21 .- One of the leading features of today's events, one that caused perhaps more comment and more enthusiasm than any of the others of the day's occurrences, and which will make a tasting impression apon those who saw it, was a company of Confederate veterans attired in their tattered old uniforms of gray, carrying the stars and stripes. They formed a part of the big parade this morning and as they passed through the miles and miles of streets they were tendered an ovation that would have honored an emperor. Not one of these old war dogs was under sixty and yet they dogs was under sixty and yet they walked with a firmness of step that would have done justice to West Point cadets. And one of them, the one next to the last color bearer, carried an olive wreath, an emblem of peace and love. The day's doings started off with the parade and all Chattanooga and the tens of thousands of visitors turned out to see it.

There were twenty-two carriages in line, containing the most distinguished of the citizens' guests remaining in the city. In the first carriage was Vice President Adlai Stevenson and Speaker of the House Charles F. Crisp. Following the procession of civilians came the military feature of the pa-tade. There were regiments from Ohio Indiana, Tennessee and Georgia and from the United States regulars.

IN THE BIG TENT AGAIN. The formal exercises of the day were held in the big tent near the government building and were presided over by Vice President Stevenson.

Addresses were made by Mayor Ochs of Chattanooga, Senator Bates of Tenn-essee and General Grosvenor of Ohio.

General Grosvenor said in part:
"We meet today upon this sacred spot to celebrate the heroism of the American soldier, the great results of battles, and the greater victories of peace. We do not come with swords of crimination or with memories charg-ed with bitterness or envy. We join here, as American citizens upon one of the great battle fields of a great war, to dedicate for all time to the American people these monuments and this battlefield. We do this to remind those of coming generations of the heroic raof coming generations of the heroic ra-ces from which they descended; to ex-hibit to them the enormous cost of the institutions bequeathed to them, and placed in their keeping; and to forever appeal to those who are to come after us, that they guard, protect, and for-ever cherish, imperishably and immut-ably, the results of the great war.

"We do not come with words of crit-

"We do not come with words of crit-cism or bitterness we of the north. The achievement of which we are proud est, and well may be proudest, is, not that we conquered in war and by phy-sical force overthrow the armies of the confederacy; but that we restored the union of the states, or, in more fitting terms, that we prevented the overthrow of the union of the states; that change our institutions, but to save the union; not to commit revolution, but to save the flag as the representative of a great union; that we fought

to restore the constitution as the preme law of the land. "But more proudly yet do we contemplate that fact that these efforts were not unavailing; that the result almed at has been accomplished, and that the union of the states today is a union of hearts and a union of hands, and a union of states none can sever. Is there anything greater, anything more charming to the heart of an American patriot that the love of the American people for this union, this con-stitution and this power? It is our rotection against enemics abroad; it s our assurance against disturbance within; it is the beacon light to other nations of the American home, the Amthe American union, and the American fing. And we will protect it at home and we will vindicate it abroad; and in the hour of its peril, in the hour of its danger. If that hour shall come, in the time that tries the future of this great fabric of government, if the hour great fabric of government, if the nour shall come there will rally to the flag of the union, there will rally to the constitution of the country, there will rally to the institutions, whether it be to protect our territorial integrity, our dignity as a nation, or our position upon great political questions, interna-tional in their character, there will be found the men and the descendents of the men of 1861 who fought to destroy the union and who fought to uphold it: the men and the descendents of the men who, at Gettysburg and South Mountain, at Shiloh, and at Nashville and here upon this sacred spot, stood and fought and bled and struggled, going forth as a mighty army with ban-ners, to vindicate to cherish and protect the flag of the union that we love

# ONE BODY IS REACHED.

# Water Receding from the Sleepy Hollow and Americas Mines.

Central City, Colo., Sept. 21.—After three weeks of constant pumping of the water today reached so low a level in the Sleeply Hollow and Americus mines as to make possible the recovery of the body of Thomas Williams, one of the twenty-one men who were drowned in the flooding of the Americus and Sleepy Hollow mines. The other vic-tims are a considerable distance below

# Hotel Clerk Drops Dead.

Fort Scott, Ran., Sep. 2!-Henry Watson one of the oldest and best dead while standing before his dresse in the Tremont house here this morning. Rheumatism of the heart was the cause. Watson has had charge of ho els at Topeka, Kan., Nevada, Mo., and

Parls, Sept. 21.—The family of ex United States Consul Waller have ar rived at Marseilles, where Mr. Waller is imprisoned by the French government on conviction of having supplied information of the French troops to the Ho

# Jealousy and Carbolic Acid.

Atchison, Kan., Sep. 2.—Mrs. Michael Gallagher, wife of a well known citiven of Huron, this morning threw carbolic acid in her husband's face in a fit of jealous rage, disfiguring him for life. One eye is entirely put out. Elected George R. Allen.

Emporia, Kan. Sep. 2'.—The Lyons ecunty log rolling of the Modern Woodmen today elected George R. Allen of Emporia, president.

## Oklahoma weather crop service for the week ending Monday, Sept. 16, is

Oklahoma City, O. T., Sept. 20 .- (Spec ial.)-The weather crop bulletin of the as follows:

LARGEST EVER HARVESTED.

Hay Crop in Oklahoma is Now Simply Out

of Sight.

The weather of the past week was a repetition of the week preceding, if any-thing it has been slightly hotter, and not a shower of rain even is reported from the central, western, northern, and southern sections. Heavy rains are reported from the eastern section, Cherokee, Creek and eastern Choctaw nation, damaging much hay in shock, and making the ground so wet and mud dy that farm work has been impractie-

The average temeprature during the past week has been \$2.7; the normal for the second week in September 1s 72.5. giving us a daily average temperature of 10.1 above normal. Highest temperature within the week 104 degrees at Healdton on the 11th; minimum temperature, 68 at Oklahoma

THE CROPS. The hot dry weather during the entire week has rapidly matured the late crops throughout the northern, western and central sections, and facilita-ted the harvesting of late broom corn.

cane, hay, and forage crops. The crop of hay harvested is immense, the larg-est that has ever been harvested. The hot dry weather has been essentially favorable to cotton throughout the central section, the acreage, how-

Ground everywhere throughout these three sections is too dry to plow, most of the fall plowing, however is com-

Throughout the central and eastern portions of the eastern section, the ex-cessive rains destroyed much hay in the shock and prevents further work in this line; while an abundance has been saved and housed, yet our correspondence states that more has been completely ruined than was made last year.

Throughout the southern section, the reports in regard to the cotton crop are not encouraging. Pastures are

are not encouraging. Pastures are drying up fast, and stock water getorying up tast, and stock water get-ting scarce in places.

The following are some special re-ports as to cotton:

Purcell—Very hot and dry during en-

tire week. Late corn is much damag-ed; very little cotton in this section, but what there is looks fairly well; it being rapidly put upon the market. Ardmore-The past week has been a hot one. Stock suffering for water, ranges dry enough to burn. Cotton picking is the order of the day; crop is light and about one good picking will

clean it up. Eastman—Cotton opening premature y under the evcessive heat, and if no change comes soon the results will be snything but good. Boll worms and parpshooters in August and drouth september even a fair crop cannot be

Healdton-A hot sultry week, too much so for cotton picking, still it is go-ing on slowly, but the grop is light.

J. L.WIDMEYER,

Director O. T., Weather Service.

SCOTT KICKS ON ROSS.

Oklahoma Judge Objects to One Naming Kansas City, Sep. 20.—The Kansas City Journal has the following special Scott, of Oklahoma City spent time with Postmaster General some time with Postmaster General Wilson today, talking over postoffice matters in Oklahoma. The Judge promatters in Oklahoma. The judge pro-tested against Colonel L. P. Ross, ex-chairman of the territorial Democratic committee, being referee for appoint ments in Oklahoma. He explained to Mr. Wilson that when the administration came in Colonel Ross was chair man of the committee, and hence had been selected to make recommendations for fourth class offices, and in most cases his recommendation for presi-fential offices had been followed. Scott said he thought the principle was wrong and said he could see no reason mittee should be given this power, as he certainly could not know the situa-tion in the various localities any better than others of the party. Mr. Scott suggested that the chairman of the county committee should be allowed to name postmasters for the county. While making this suggestion Judge Scott took from his pocket a list of the chairmen of the various county Democratic committees and said that if they were allowed to select postmasters for Ok-lahoma there would be much less fric-tion and that things Democratic in Oklahoma would run much smoother than at present. The postmaster general asked about Colonel Ross, his fitness as a man to make recommendations and what sort of a man he is personally, and the replies of Judge Scott would

certainly look sensational in print. The point about the whole matter is that Judge Scott and Ross are not on that Judge Scott and Ross are not on good terms. Formerly they were, one helping the other to a judgeship, and the other assisting the one into the land office. But things are different now. Scott accuses Ross of having had much to do in making trouble for him, and Ross thinks Scott has done much to get him into difficulty, and at present each one is antagonizing the other.

chances are that Scott will be able to do some damage to Ross in the postoffice department, but how he will get along in the interior department remains to be seen. Ross and the interior crowd are fascinated with the same color and they will not separate. Judge Scott paid his respects to Secretary Carlisle today, by respect to Secretary Carlisle today, by respect to retary Carlisle today, by reason of the fact that Mr. Carlisle and Attorney General Harmon are good friends. The judge had a short talk with the secretary and a long talk with some of the intimate friends of the secretary. Thus it is proposed by the judge to establish a leadpipe cinch on the attorney gen-eral and thus erect a windbreak for

# Minor Oklahoma News.

About 100 students are enrolled at the Agricultural college.

last week killed two ponies. Minnie Brady has been arrested and incted at Guthrie for forgery.

Dennis Flynn delivered a free home ddress at Blackwell the other day. The Purcell Register has taken sides in the prizefight, in favor of Fitzsimmons

pect for coal on the farm of John Kelly,

Isaac S. Lee, of Hutchinson, Kan., is hunting for his son, Fred A. Lee, in Ok-

Yancey Lewis is a candidate for the udgeship resigned by Stewart, in the Jake Admire and wife are among the

and will sow it in wheat.

Oklahoma people at the Albuquerque trrigation convention. The militia company of Guthrie will goard the Paynt county fair while it is in progress next month. It is said that a party of capitalists of Gabri

# CUBAN ANNEXATION

What Has Been Said by a Number of Congressmen.

# MANY IN FAVOR OF RECOGNITION.

Copy of a Savage Anti-Christian Decree in China British Ship Stone leigh is Missing-Train Robber Stands Fire- Notes.

Chicago, Sep. 21-The Tribune will to morrow print letters from four United States senators and forty-two congress men in reply to letters addressed to men in reply to letters addressed to them whether congress should send a commission to look into the condition of affairs in Cuba. They are also asked what in their opinion should be the condition of affairs there. The replies were received from Senators John Sherman of Ohio, Baker of Kansus, and William C. Chandler and J. H. Gallinger of New Hampshire. Of the representatives five are from Iowa, five each from Ohio and Pennsylvania. each from Ohio and Pennsylvania, three each from New York and Indiana two each from Kentucky Kansas Misfrom Connecticut, Maine, Mississippi, Wisconsin, Louislana, Illinois, Nebras-ka, Alabama and Virginia.

On commenting editorially on the re-

piles the Tribune says: "As will be seen from the replies there is a strong sentiment in favor of the dispatch of a commission to Cuba and also in fav-or of recognizing the beligerents rights or of recognizing the beligerents rights of the insurgents as soon as it can be done consistently. There are only a little handful of members adverse to taking any action and there were fitteen others who were not yet ready to express their views but the large majority of those addressed declare them selves strongly in sympathy with Cuba and in favor of recognizing the insurgents and alding them as far as can be done without violating international agreements. agreements.

Senator Sherman, it will be observed is in favor of recognition when a de facto government is established but is opposed to annexation.

SAVAGE CHINESE DECREE. SAVAGE CHINESE DECREE.

London, Sep. 21—The Times tomorrow will print a dispatch from Hong Kong which says at the annual examinations in Canton, thousands of students were given copies of an imperial decree in which the doctrines of Christians were fiercely condemned. The decree uses the following language:

"A stupid black haired race is establishing sundry sects and they regard not their lives but pretend by rise again as immortal men and women.

again as immortal men and women.
"They congregate and, abandoning chastity, behave like obscene birds and Faithful Confucians must shoot and stone and behead them without mercy.
I, the emperor, command the authorities to eradicate these weeds and vermin. Kill the serpents. Throw them to the wolves and tigers because there is no salvation for them either against heaven-sent calamities or misfortunes caused by human agencies."

BRITISH SHIP MISSING. San Francisco, Sep. 21.—On February 27, 1895, the four-masted British ship Stoneleigh left Melbourne for London and is now twenty-one days out. Hope for her safe arrival is beginning to be abandoned and it is feared that the craft with her passengers have gone down off Cape Horn. If such is the

The Stoneleigh was commanded by Captain John G. Thompson of Maceles-field, Great Britain. The skipper's wife and two little children were on board.

FOREIGN FLASHES. London, Sep. 31.—A farewell recep-tion was tendered to Miss Frances Wil-lard prior to her return to America at the Metropolitan Tabernacle on Friday evening by the British Women's Tem-

perance association. London, Sep. 21.—A dispatch to the Chronicle from Constantinople says that the minister of war has tele-graphed to London for the admiralty charts of the Dardanelles. These are intended for the use of engineers in laying torpedoes. Puebla, Mexico, Sep. 21.—The govern-

Puebla, Mexico, Sep. 21.—The govern-ment is investigating the recent assas-sination of Editor Olmos, but without gaining any clues. The affair is en-veloped in mystery and it is feared that the assassins have made good their escape.

London, Sep. 21.—The steamers Constantine and Trevethick collided to-day off the entrance to the river Lyne.

The Constantine was cut to the waters edge, and ran ashore to prevent foun-dering. The crew was rescued by the Chemnitz, Sep. 21.—The military fleet returning from the maneuvres was wrecked. Thirteen were killed outright

and sixty injured of whom thirty are Marseilles, Sep. 21—Advices from Antananarivo, Madagascar, are to the effect that a condition bordering on anarchy prevails in the district of Imeriwhere everyone is fighting for

RELATING TO FOREIGNERS. Washington, Sep. 21-The Chicese government has withdrawn its opposition to an American committee investi-gating missionary riots and the inquiry

will be begun at once.

San Francisco, Sep. 21.—A number of men who were imprisoned by the Dole government during the rebellion in Hawall have organized for the purpose of gaining the assistance of their re-spective governments in an effort to obtain damages from the Hawaiian gov

ernment:
New York, Sep. 21.—Sir Julian Pauncfote, the British embassador arrived
on the Campania from Liverpool and
Prince Cantacuzene the Russian minister on the Columbia today. Sir Julian will leave for Newport tomorrow.
Willmington, Del. Sep. 2!.—Judge
Wales today announced his decision in
the case of the alleged Cuban fillbusters, refusing to admit in evidence the ers, refusing to admit in evidence the letters of General Gomez. Two witnesses were then examined for the defense and in part contradicted the story told by the detectives. Argu-ment will be heard tomorrow.

## BURIAL OF ADMIRAL PAREJO. It is Made the Occasion of an Imposing

Military Demonstration Havana, Sep. 21.—The funeral of Admiral Delgado Parejo, who was drowned in the collision yesterday, was today the occasion of an imposing military demonstration. Parejo was born in 1828 and held many important naval offices.

Fishermen caught a shark today

Fishermen caught a shark today near the place in the harbor where the cruiser Barcastegul was sunk on Wednesday night. The creature, which was ten feet long, was taken ashore and opened and inside of it were found two human legs and other bones undoubtedly remains of some of the crew of the lost vessel. Two bodies were also recovered today, one of them being that covered today, one of them being that of Gabriel Puelo, purser of the Bar-

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People Generally.

Denver, Colo., Sept. 21—Thousands visited Schlatter, the "New Mexico Messiah, again yesterday, and more than half of them went away disappointed, as they failed to reach the goal and touch the hand of the "heater," Schlat-ter received a revelation yesterday. It tor received a revelation yesterday. It came just before the hour for dismissing the crowds—t o'clock—he stated. It was a message from the Father telling him not to give treatment as he had been doing by blessing to people generally, and telling them to have faith and they would feel better in a few days. This, "the healer," explained, was the reason he said nothing to those by waiting before he withdrew to the house.

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Among the notables who witnessed the scene in front of the Fox house on Witter street leaterity was Sectesary Thomson of the Humaine society. Word had reached the secretary that little children were compelled by their mothers to stand for hours in the hot sun with their parents, while waiting to touch the hand of the healer. The secretary spent several hours in the crowd and came away satisfied that the stories were unfounded. There was little or no change in the program at the house festerday. The crowd was larger than the previous day and Schiatter ministered to probably 2,000 people, and "blessed" abour double that number of handkerchiefs. His mail, too, was larger and tied up in bundles in his room and in the neighborhood of 300 unanswered and unopened letters, the most of which tame yesterday.

At the noon hour a young girl in the crowd was seized with an epileptic fit, but before Schlatter could reach her she had partially recovered. He gave her treatment and she waiked away unsided. Another notable case was that of a woman whose limbs were twisted from paralysis or rheumatism. After treatment she moved quite spryly. Considerable amusement is afforded by people looking for handkerchiefs that they deposited in the basket Monday. Yesterday two men sepnt the entire after-

deposited in the basket Monday. Yes-deposited in the basket Monday. Yes-terday two men sepnt the entire after-noon trying to find those belonging to them, but up to a late hour had not suc-ceded. A rail bulkhead has been built cutside the fence of the residence of sufficient strength to withstand the pres-

# SOURY HER DAY HAS COME. Mrs. John A. Logan Does Not Like the New Woman at All.

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Cincinnatth, 0., Sept. 21—Mrs. John A. Logan does not like bloomers and she has her opinion concerning the new woman. "In the first place," said she in response to a querry as to what she thought of the new woman, "I think the appellation is offensive. If by the new woman is meant those, either young or old, who have laid asside all restraint in indulging in sport, and I might say dissipations, supposed to be the prerogation of man, not the least of which is elgarrette smoking and kindred vices. I am sorry that her day has come. If on the other hand is meant the intelligent, cultured womanly woman, who has kept abrenation the times and had taken advantage of the exceptionally fine opportunities afforded American woman of participating in everything that tends to broaden the field of her usefulness and develop her intellectual powers, without doing violence to her heart or lessening her love of home and family, I say all hail the new woman.

"I passed through the park on the south side of Chicago recently while a bicycle meet was at its height. I had never seen such a sight before in all my life or had greater occasion to flush for the modesty of American girls. Some were dressed properly and becomingly, while others appeared in garments they were pleased to call bicycle suits that were simply disgusting on any man or woman.

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Youngstown, Ohio, Sep. 21.—Postmaster Snyder today caused the arrest of J. S. Davis, engaged in selling hair resterer, on a charge of opening two letters addressed to Mrs. Anna Davis. The postmaster received a letter from Mrs. Davis, who is in Pittsburg, asking if any mail addressed to her had been received here. The postmaster remembered that two letters had been given to Davis, who, upon being interrogated, admitted that he had opened them and did not believe he had committed a crime, stating that for years it had been customary for himself and wife to open each other's letters. Davis submitted quietly to arrest, stating that it was the first time he had ever been in trouble. After his arrest Mrs. Davis wired here that she would not prosecute her husband, and asked for his release, but the postoffice inspectors decided to hold the accused for the present. Davis said that it was a case of mother intervals. present. Davis said that it was a case of mother-in-law, that he was a Demo-

### crat and his wife and her mother were Republicans, and that the latter was angry at the choice of her daughter KILLED AT A POKER GAME.

Shooting Affray in Kentucky Wherein Che Man Kills E.ve. McKinney, Ky., Sept. \$1 - A terrible battle occurred last night in a small room of a distillery in Pulaski county where six men were playing cards. A dispute arose and Lee McKinney shot and killed his five companions and field. The bodies lay side by side awaiting

identification. Cincinnatti, Sept. 20.—The Commer-cial Gazette has wired its Lexington, Ky., correspondent for a verification of the poker murder at McKinney, Ky., and received the following reply, dated

Lexington, Ky:
"W. H. Gooch wires me from McKin-ney that he came direct from the scene of the killing, saying that he saw dead men. They are William O. Co toe, a prominent lawyer of Dangille, Ky.; two Sope brothers, livestock deal-ers of Boyle county, and two men whose

# SENATOR PEFFER GETS HUBE.

Receives Injuries in a Collision on Lonkost Chattanooga, Tenn. Sep. 11.-A col-lision occurred on Lookout mountain this afternoon between trains of the time to avoid serious accident, scal persons were injured, inclu Senator Peffer of Kansas, who thrown from his seat and cut about the head severely but not seriously. He was taken to Lookout inn where his inju-ries were dressed. Stephen Parrish of Chicago had his leg broken.

# GERMAN MISSION TRIS TEME.

New York, Sept. 21.—A dispatch to the World from Shanghai says: The German mission near Swatow was loot-ed today by 600 Chinese plunderers. It is impossible at this writing to get de-